

Maud Blalock,¹⁹⁶² Comanche, Dies

Mrs. Maud Blalock, a resident of Comanche since 1900, died about 7:30 p.m. Thursday following a long illness.

The service will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First Methodist Church, Comanche, where Mrs. Blalock was a member. The Rev. Fred Knight, pastor, will be in charge, assisted by J. U. Bristow, Comanche minister.

Mrs. Blalock was 84, and a native of Allendale, Ill. She was born April 1, 1878. She moved to Comanche from Itasca, Tex.

Survivors include a son, Guy Damron, 407 S. 8th, Duncan; and three nephews, Leslie, Ed, and Cecil Harrington, all of Stafford, Ariz.

Burial will be in Comanche Cemetery under direction of Brooks Funeral Home, Duncan. Bearers will be Simpson Hurst, Lonnie Cowan, Joe Kinder, Joe Hanley, Fred Brown, and D. H. Britton.

O. E. Harlin,¹⁹⁶² Waurika, Dies

[Special to The Duncan Banner]
WAURIKA. — Service for Oliver Ewing Harlin, 82, was to be held at 2:30 p.m. today in the First Baptist Church of Waurika.

Harlin died Sunday around midnight in a Waurika hospital. He was born Nov. 22, 1879, in Hillsboro, Tex., and married Nora James in August of 1903 in Savoy, Tex. They moved to Comanche the same year where he owned and operated the first Coca Cola bottling works in the southwest.

In 1909 they moved to the Madden Grove community and Harlin joined the cattle business. He retired in 1952 and the couple moved to Waurika.

Mrs. Hardin preceded her husband in death March 24, 1960.

Burial was to be in the Crestview Mausoleum of Wichita Falls under the direction of Worley Funeral Home.

Survivors include one son, Frank of Iowa Park, Tex., one daughter, Mrs. O. R. Dunham of Kansas City, Mo., two sisters, Mrs. Jim Teakell of Walters, and Mrs. Ollie Noblett of Temple, two brothers, C. C. of El Dorado, Tex., and Joe of Mustang, Okla., three grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Bearers were Woodrow Brandon, Roy McGinnis, Woodrow Elkins, Roy Bartling, Wayne Dunn and Ed Smith.

Rites Set For¹⁹⁶² Crash Victim

MARLOW — Funeral service for Jeff F. Banks, 41, of 511 E. Kiowa, who was killed in a head-on collision north of Lawton Friday, will be here at 2 p.m. Monday.

Banks, a truck driver, was killed about 8 p.m. Friday on State 49 north of Lawton. A Lawton man also died in the crash.

Born Oct. 13, 1921 in Marietta, Banks was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors are the widow, Louise, Lawton; father, R. E. Banks, brother, Richard Banks, and a sister, Mrs. Pete Farmer, all of Marlow.

Service will be in the Callaway-Smith Funeral Chapel, conducted by the Rev. R. T. Perritt and the Rev. Ralph Mill.

Burial will be in Marlow Cemetery under direction of Callaway-Smith Funeral Home. Bearers will be Elton Eowley, Earl Cannaday, Alvie Fine, Dock Nell, Jerry Farmer, and Buck Boatman.

F. T. Carroll,¹⁹⁶² Comanche, Dies

[Special to The Duncan Banner]
COMANCHE. — Funeral for Floyd Terry Carroll, 72, Comanche, will be at 2 p.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church of Addington. Carroll died early Saturday while on a fishing trip to Lake Murray.

The Rev. Dan Pruitt of the Cameron Baptist Church in Lawton will be in charge of the service. Burial will be in Addington Cemetery under the direction of Phillips-Elsey Funeral Home.

A retired farmer, Carroll was born Jan. 2, 1890, in Paris, Tex. He grew up around Paris and Bonham, Tex., attending school there.

He was married to Lula Pierce, Oct. 6, 1911 in Paris. She died in 1955.

The Carrolls moved to southwest of Comanche in 1927. They moved to the Weaver Chapel Community in Stephens County in 1929 and lived there until his retirement.

Survivors are three sons, Stanley and John, both of Velma, and David, Alma; four daughters, Mrs. Lola Rowland, Odessa, Tex., Dorothy Loren, Velma, Mrs. Gerald Dean Biffle, Duncan, and Clois Null, Fort Worth; three sisters, Hattie Burden, Denison, Tex., and Maude Wisley and Emma Brackett, both of Sherman; and 14 grandchildren.

Bearers will be Roy Biffle, Charles Bishop, W. L. Null, Joe Parks, Ira Morgan, and Horace Paynter.

Rosa Aaron¹⁹⁶² Dead at 74

Rosa Lee Aaron, mother of four Duncanites, died at 1:25 a.m. Sunday in a local hospital after an illness of two years.

She was the wife of Robert Aaron, retired, of 714 Cherry. She was born Jan. 28, 1888, and had lived in the Duncan area more than 50 years.

The service was at 2 p.m. today in the First Assembly of God Church where Mrs. Aaron was a member. The Rev. Armon Newburn, pastor, was in charge.

Mrs. Aaron is survived by four children, Mrs. Lena Arnett, 408 Elder; Lonzo Alexander, 620 N. F.; Mrs. Eunice Lane, and George Alexander, both of 1104 Washington.

Brothers and sisters living here are Monroe Byford, 1421 S. 9th; Henry Byford, Duncan route 3; Mrs. Ella Mae Blodgett, Duncan route 3; Mrs. Lillie Smith, 810 N. 5th; and Mrs. Stella Davidson, 1308 Mulberry.

Louie Byford, Decatur, Tex., also is a brother.

Burial was in Duncan Cemetery under direction of Grantham Funeral Home, Grandsons were bearers.

Lulu Spradling, Comanche, Dies While in Texas

COMANCHE. — Mrs. Lulu Annie Spradling, a resident of the Comanche area since 1925, died at 9:15 p.m. in Borger, Tex., where she was visiting relatives.

Mrs. Spradling, a native of Roxton, Tex., was born Oct. 31, 1887. She was the widow of Gus Spradling, who died here in 1952.

The service will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in the First Methodist Church here, directed by the Rev. Fred Knight, pastor. Burial will be by Phillips-Elsey Funeral Home in Comanche Cemetery.

Mrs. Spradling was the mother of eight children. They include sons R. K. Spradling, South Gate, Calif.; Bill Spradling, Comanche, and L. R. Spradling, Borger.

Daughters are Mrs. Bettye Jones, Oklahoma City; Mrs. Helen Kinney, Haldton; Mrs. Sally Patty, Comanche; Mrs. Dorothy Cox, Strathmore, Calif., and Mrs. Ruth Hamrick, North Bay, Ont., Canada.

Sisters surviving include Mrs. Mollie Jay, Marlow, and Mrs. Clara Lauderdale, Altus. Other survivors include 11 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Carra Brown, 52, Succumbs

Carra Alice Brown, 52, who moved back here three weeks ago from Wichita Falls, died about 8 p.m. Tuesday following a six month's illness. She lived at 1615 Jones.

Mrs. Brown was employed by Woolworth's when she formerly lived in Duncan and at the time of death was personnel manager of Woolworth's in Wichita Falls, Tex.

Funeral will be at 2 p.m. Friday in Stephens Methodist Church with the Rev. O. L. Peak officiating. Burial will be in Duncan Cemetery under direction of Brooks Funeral Home.

She was a member of First Methodist Church in Comanche.

Survivors include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hall, Bethany; a daughter, Mrs. I. J. Pollock, 1615 Jones, and seven sisters, Mrs. A. L. McHenry, Enid; Mrs. J. C. Arthur, Ardmore; Mrs. B. E. Forrest, Falls Church, Va.; Mrs. E. L. Cleavelin, Bethany; Mrs. B. E. McDaniels, Comanche; Mrs. Olin Green, Marlow, and Mrs. E. H. Woolf, Bethany.

Also, two brothers, the Rev. H. W. Hall, Lebanon, Ore., and L. F. Hall, Bossier City, La., and four grandchildren.

Bearers are Kenny Logan, Paul Hayes, Bill Knott, Marion Wylder, Bob Pollock, and Gary Pollock.

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Bearers will be Roy Biffle, Charles Bishop, W. L. Null, Joe Parks, Ira Morgan, and Horace Paynter.

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Death Claims Mary Dimery Of Addington

[Special to The Duncan Banner]
ADDINGTON. — Funeral for Mary Ida Dimery, 85, mother-in-law of Mrs. Pauline Dimery of Duncan, will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at the First Methodist Church here.

A Rev. Dickey of Claypool will officiate. Burial will be in the Duncan Cemetery, directed by Phillips-Elsey Funeral Home of Comanche.

Mrs. Dimery died about 2:30 p.m. Friday at a Duncan hospital after an illness of several years. She was born Sept. 11, 1876, at Aurora, Neb.

She attended schools in Nebraska, and later became a music teacher in public schools there. She married Thomas H. Dimery at Dawson, Neb., on Sept. 10, 1902. After their marriage, they resided in Nebraska until 1912, when they moved to Addington.

He was in the hardware and grocery business for many years, and she was an active church worker.

Mrs. Dimery was one of the founders and charter members of the Holiness Church of Addington. Her husband preceded her in death in 1938, as did one son, Joseph W. Dimery, in 1947.

Mrs. Dimery, her daughter-in-law, is principal of Woodrow Wilson and Lee elementary schools in Duncan. Other survivors include a brother, Clair Liebhart of Anaheim, Calif.; a sister, Mrs. Bertha Poore of Stockton, Calif., and a grandson, Robert J. Dimery, Stillwater.

Bearers will be Velmer J. Dimery, C. F. Dimery, Marvin Huffer, Howard Bowles, Carnes Phipps, and Paul Garretson.

Betty McKennie Rites Tuesday

Mrs. Betty (Cantwell) McKennie, 81, of 808 N. 5th, died about 10 p.m. Saturday in her home.

She was born Nov. 28, 1880 and moved to Duncan in 1929. She moved to her present address in 1950 and married Will McKennie March 31, 1960.

Survivors besides the widower include three sons, Luther Cantwell of Indianapolis, Ind., Jack Cantwell of 713 Elder, and Bill Cantwell of Laverne, Okla., two daughters, Mrs. Bessie Ginn of Dallas, Tex., and Mrs. Lillian Etter of Los Angeles, 18 grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren.

Funeral will be at 3 p.m. Tuesday in the Oak Avenue Church of the Nazarene with the Rev. W. M. Lynch, pastor, officiating.

Bearers include Claude Edwards, O. G. Whaley, E. T. Dean, Johnny Gamm, Claude Callaway and J. A. Thompkins Jr. Honorary bearers are George Anderson, Fred Hargraves, Joe Keithley, A. C. Winger, Ralph Byers, C. J. Coons, Loyd Bailey and Russell Ayers.

Burial will be in the Duncan Cemetery under the direction of Brooks Funeral Home.

McArthur Rites Planned Today

Funeral for Mrs. Zallie Brinker McArthur, 78, who died Saturday in a local hospital, was scheduled for 2:30 p. m. today in the Grantham Funeral Home chapel. Dr. Andrew Coleman, pastor of the First Methodist Church here, officiated.

Mrs. McArthur was born Oct. 14, 1883, in West Point, Miss. She moved to Stephens County 35 years ago. At the time of her death she lived at 1014 Pine. She was a member of the First Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband, W. T. McArthur of the home, one son, Wallis B. McArthur of Red Bluff, Colo., one sister, Mrs. Wallis S. Ivy of 611 N. 12th, four stepdaughters and one step-son.

Bearers were Jim Frensley, Dr. Clyde R. Ferguson, J. W. Hara-way, Doys Montgomery, Brinker Ivy, and Robert Ivy.

Burial was in the Marlow Cemetery under the direction of Grantham Funeral Home.

Warden Funeral Set Tuesday at Rush Springs

RUSH SPRINGS. — Funeral for Garland Warden, who died late Friday at his home here following a heart attack, will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday.

Rites will be in Callaway-Smith Chapel, conducted by the Rev. Ron Wester, pastor of Southern Baptist Church. Burial will be in Rush Springs Cemetery.

Warden was born April 8, 1894, in Montague County, Tex. He had lived here three years.

Survivors are a son, Glen, Rush Springs; two sisters, Mrs. Cora Strong, Rush Springs, and Mrs. Emma Armon, Longview, Tex., and a brother, Albert Warden, Oklahoma City.

R. T. Webb Succumbs

R. T. Webb, 48, of 1406 S. 8th, died Sunday in an Oklahoma City hospital. He had been ill with meningitis.

Survivors are a son, Jimmy Ray, Duncan; two daughters, Sandra and Debra, both of Duncan; a brother, L. V. Webb, Lindsay; four sisters, Myrtle Siegnethaler and Estel Camp, both of Duncan, Zelma Nelson, Loco, and Odessa Winters, Ringling.

Service will be at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, in Grantham Chapel, Duncan, with the Rev. Virgil Holcumb of Oklahoma City officiating, and assisted by the Rev. Maynard Campbell, Duncan Rescue Mission. Burial will be in Duncan Cemetery under direction of Grantham Funeral Home.

Bearers will be H. R. Bonner, Gilbert Griggs, Cleo Lynch, Ben Campbell, E. G. Chambers, and Dan Lumley.

Elam Funeral Is Scheduled

MARLOW — Margarette Elizabeth Elam, 88, died at 4:30 p. m. Sunday in an Oklahoma City hospital.

Mrs. Elam was born March 2, 1874, in Woodbine, Tex. She lived in Marlow and Oklahoma City. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Myrtle Rainey, Oklahoma City, Mrs. Pearl Choate, and Mrs. Jessie Johnson, both of Fort Worth, and a daughter-in-law, Laurie Elam, Marlow.

Service will be in Smith-Kernke Funeral Chapel, Oklahoma City, at 11 a. m. Tuesday. Burial will be at 3 p. m. Tuesday in Duncan Cemetery.

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Marilyn Gilbert Service Is Set

Last rites for Mariyn Sue Gilbert, 22, who died instantly when struck by a car in Pheonix, Ariz., Friday, will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Grantham Chapel.

Mrs. Gilbert was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Ausmus, 7th and Willow. She was born here April 11, 1940.

Her parents understood she was the victim of a hit and run accident.

The Rev. C. L. Cole, pastor of the Victory Baptist Church, will be in charge of the service. Burial will be in Comanche Cemetery under direction of Grantham.

Mrs. Gilbert is also survived by a son Phillip, 3; three brothers, David Ausmus, Phoenix; and Michael and Steven both of Duncan. Also a sister, Mrs. Cathleen Bearman, San Bernadino, Calif.; paternal grandparents, Mrs. Gertis Ausmus, Phoenix and Jeff Ausmus, Duncan; and maternal grandmother, Mrs. Grace Taylor, Comanche.

Bearers will be Frank Sutton, Bill Ausmus, Marvin Williamson, Rayburn Pierce, Jack Ishman, and Virdie Quaid.

Battered Body Of Fairview Woman Found

FAIRVIEW. (UPD) — Authorities today sought the husband of a woman whose body was believed to have been found in a Fairview apartment.

The beaten and partially decomposed body was tentatively identified as Mrs. Betty Turner, 35 to 40 years old. A. D. Turner, an oil field worker and husband of the woman, was being sought for questioning. The apartment had been rented to Turner.

Major County Sheriff Thomas Libby said the woman apparently had been beaten about the head. An autopsy was planned.

Enid, police records showed that a Betty Lou Turner, 36, Fairview, was arrested in Enid early Saturday after an automobile accident. Records showed she was accompanied by a man identified as

Jack Livingston, 30, of Okmulgee. Enid Police Capt. James Manuel said Mrs. Turner's husband posted a \$20 bond for her on a charge of drunkenness and she was released Saturday afternoon. Livingston remained in jail on a variety of charges.

Ex-Countyman's Burial Slated

COMANCHE. — Burial service for Mrs. Betty Lou Turner, 36, former Comanche woman whose body was found Wednesday in Fairview, will be at 9 a.m. Friday at Fairlawn Cemetery here.

Mrs. Turner was born June 6, 1926, and apparently died Sunday.

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The Rev. Maynard Campbell, pastor of the Duncan Rescue Mission, will officiate at the service.

Survivors include her widower, J. D. Turner, a son, Lloyd Castleberry, two sisters, Joy Waller of Cleo Springs and Ruthie Crawford of Oberlin, Kan., and a brother, Ray S. Stateham, also of Oberlin.

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Death Takes Mrs. Pritchett

Mrs. Jennie Bell Pritchett, mother of Mrs. Frank Otey of 1308 Beech, died about 9 a.m. today at her home, 509 N. 13th.

Mrs. Pritchett had been ill 5½ months. She was 86 and a native of Grandin, Mo., born there Feb. 13, 1876.

She was the widow of E. L. Pritchett, a retired rancher-grocer who died here Aug. 28, 1954. She was the mother of the late L. B. Pritchett, executive vice-president of Rock Island Railroad, who died May 3, this year in Chicago.

Arrangements are pending at Grantham Funeral Home.

Mrs. Pritchett, member of the Methodist Church, moved to Comanche about 1930 where she and her late husband operated a grocery store and ranch. The couple moved to Duncan when Pritchett retired 22 years ago.

Other survivors include two grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

July 5, 1962 old friend night for A. H. York, Marlow, Dies

(Special to The Duncan Banner) MARLOW. — A. H. York, 82, a resident of this area the past 17 years, died about 10 a.m. today in a Duncan hospital.

Funeral is pending with Callaway-Smith Funeral Home.

York was born May 16, 1880, in Arkansas. He married Mattie Pierce Dec. 14, 1901, at Ravena, Tex. She died in 1961. York's home was at 801 N. 4th in Marlow.

Survivors include two sons, Carl and Haskell, both of Oklahoma City; two daughters, Mrs. Ray Wortham and Mrs. Ralph Muncey, both of Marlow; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

H. H. Goodger Funeral Set ¹⁹⁶³

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WAURIKA. — Hubert Henry Goodger, 68, died about 4:30 a.m. Saturday in a local hospital.

Born April 18, 1895, in Deep Creek, Tex., he was a retired conductor for Rock Island Railroad. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and First Methodist Church. Goodger had lived in Waurika since 1936.

Survivors are the widow, of the home; a sister, Mrs. Lillie Fountain, Fort Worth; a grandson and great-grandson.

Goodger is also survived by a son in Philadelphia, Hubert Henry Goodger, Jr.

Funeral service will be 2:30 p.m. Monday in the First Methodist Church, with the Rev. J. W. Trevette, of Oklahoma City, officiating. Burial will be in Waurika Cemetery under direction of Worley Funeral Home.

Bearers are D. O. Kennedy, Loy Stout, Cread Burger, Albert Howard, Elmer Benson, and Homer Beavers.

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Mrs. Fowler, ¹⁹⁶³ Ringling, Dies

Mrs. A. L. Fowler of Ringling died in a Duncan hospital at 9:50 a.m. Saturday. She was 53.

Mrs. Fowler had lived in Jefferson County most of her life. She was born at Addington April 4, 1910.

Survivors are the widower of the home in Ringling; a daughter, Mrs. Clifford Welch, 1307 N. 7th, and two sons, Nathaniel Fowler of Waurika and Albert Lee Fowler of Ringling.

Funeral will be at 2:30 p.m. Monday in the Assembly of God Church at Ringling. Burial will be in Comanche Cemetery under direction of Worley Funeral Home of Waurika.

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Sharon Adams, 17, Succumbs

COMANCHE. — Mrs. Sharon Sue Adams, who was 17 last Dec. 13, died at 5:05 p.m. Friday in a local hospital following a short illness.

She was the wife of J. D. Adams, whom she married Aug. 13, 1962, in Kemmerer, Wyo., and the daughter of Mrs. Joyce Folsom, Comanche route 2.

The service will be at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the First Baptist Church here where she was a member.

Mrs. Adams, who came to Comanche from Bakersfield, Calif., at the age of 1, lived at Velma at the time of her death. She attended Oklahoma School for the Deaf, Sulphur, and had lived most of her life around Comanche.

Surviving besides the widower and Mrs. Adam's mother is a brother, Billy Mack Folsom, Comanche.

The Rev. Timothy Ball, Comanche, will be in charge of the service under the direction of Phillips-Elsey Funeral Home. Burial will be here in Fairlawn Cemetery.

Walter L. Lynch Funeral Monday At First Baptist

Funeral for Walter Luther Lynch, 90, Bakersfield, Calif., a longtime area resident, will be at 2 p.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church here.

The Rev. Maynard Campbell, pastor of Duncan Rescue Mission, will officiate. Burial will be in Comanche Cemetery under the direction of Brooks Funeral Home, Duncan.

Lynch died about 6:15 p.m. Friday in a Duncan hospital. He was born in Comanche Feb. 14, 1873.

Lynch was reared in this area and moved to California 18 years ago. He was a retired farmer and a member of the First Methodist Church of Comanche.

Survivors are four daughters, Mrs. Ralph Johns, 303 Main; Mrs. Dorothy Chandler, 412 Oak; Mrs. Jack Caldwell, Riverside, Calif., and Mrs. Roy Wheat, Tipton, Calif.; five sons, Cleo, 509 N. 1st; Orville, Bakersfield; Tommy, Taft, Calif.; James, Wasco, Calif., and Leroy, San Francisco; three brothers, Edgar, Oklahoma City; Archie, Ponca City, and Wesley, Jackshorn, Tex.; 34 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Bearers are Wesley Cherry, Wes Rimmer, Carl Malone, Lee Powell, Russ Davidson, and Charley Boham.

Boy Injured At Crossing Gains Ground

Randy Thomas, 9-year-old Duncan area boy critically hurt in a car-train collision at the Elder crossing here Thursday night was reported improved Saturday.

The boy, son of Marshall Thomas, Duncan route 1, was hurt in a collision that took the life of his mother, Mrs. Callie Grace Thomas.

The boy suffered a possible skull fracture, many cuts on his head and chest, and a nose injury. He regained consciousness Saturday and was expected to recover, barring complications.

Funeral for Mrs. Thomas, who apparently was killed instantly when the truck she was driving hit the train, will be at 2 p.m. Monday in the Immanuel Baptist Church.

The Rev. Hugh Adkisson, pastor of the Bible Baptist Church, will officiate. The Rev. J. W. Wade of the Immanuel church will assist.

Burial will be in Duncan Cemetery under direction of Brooks Funeral Home. Bearers will be Billy Payne, Virgil Russell, Kenneth Bell, Frankie Kaiser, Earl Wolfe, and Butch Fleetwood.

Mrs. Thomas moved here in 1943, with her family, from Sherman, Tex.

Other survivors are another son, Paul; a daughter, Mrs. Jerry Duncan of Englewood, Colo.; her mother, Mrs. Nora Deadwiley, 710 Bois d'Arc; and a brother, Paul Deadwiley of 710 Bois d'Arc.

Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Charles Bradford, 505 N. L., and Mrs. C. D. Bowman of Lawton and four grandsons.

Service Set For Will McKennie, 77

Funeral for Will McKennie, 77, of 808 N. 5th, will be at 10 a.m. Monday in the Brooks Funeral Chapel with the Rev. W. M. Lynch, pastor of Oak Avenue Nazarene Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Duncan Cemetery under the direction of Brooks Funeral Home.

McKennie died Thursday in a local hospital. His wife, Betty, died June 23, 1962.

Survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Lennie Kitchens, Corona, Calif.; a son, William, Washington; two grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren. Mar. 24 1963

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Mrs. Skelton Of Comanche Dies Monday

Special to The Duncan Banner
COMANCHE. — Mrs. Bethel Emily Skelton, 68, of 409 Ash, died in a Duncan hospital at 10 a.m. Monday.

Born June 29, 1895, in Bridgeport, Tex., she came to Comanche in 1925. She was a member of the Patterson Avenue Baptist Church.

Survivors are the widower, Frank, of the home; three daughters, Mrs. Clyde Absher, Fort Worth; Mrs. Glen Detty, Wichita, Kan., and Mrs. Wright Godfrey, 304 N. H., Duncan.

Also, three sons, J. T. Skelton, northwest of Duncan, Albert Skelton, Phoenix, and Waymond, Comanche; a brother, Clyde Winn, Bridgeport.

And five sisters, Mrs. Willie Newman, Hollis; Mrs. Lizzie Skelton, Fort Worth; Mrs. Roxie Mathews, Ruidosa, N.M.; Mrs. Blanche Chilton, Bridgeport; and Mrs. Daisy O'Shield, Fort Worth and 14 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Funeral service will be 2:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Patterson Avenue Baptist Church with the Rev. Delmore Howell, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Fairlawn Cemetery here under direction of Phillips-Elsey Funeral Home.

Bearers will be Bush Bowles, Joe Parks, Frank Parks, Thomas Morris, Gates McPhail, and Raymond Parker.